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In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
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Hiroyuki YAMAUCHI : Confirmation Number: To be Assigned
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Serial No.: 10/623,691 : Group Art Unit: To be Assigned
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Filed: July 22, 2003 : Examiner: To be Assigned
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

INVENTOR: Hiroyuki YAMAUCHI
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Enclosed are:

- ☒ 31 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Priority Claimed.
- ☒ Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-214822
- ☒ 12 sheets of formal drawing.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.
and the assignment recordation fee.
- ☒ An associate power of attorney.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	24	-20	4	\$18.00	\$72.00
Independent Claims	3	-3	0	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					\$0.00
Basic Fee					\$750.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$822.00
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☐ Other: _____

23 pages of Specification

7 pages of Claims

1 pages of Abstract

12 pages of Formal Drawings

☐ Small Entity ☒ Large Entity

☒ Declaration/Power of Attorney

☒ Recordation of Assignment

☒ Information Disclosure Statement

1 Form PTO 1449

3 copies of cited references

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☐ Response to Missing Parts Notice

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☒ Certified Copy of Priority Doc.

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☐ Letter submitting _____ pages of drawings

☐ Req. for Approval of Drawing Amendments

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☐ Rule 312 Amendment/Letter

☐ Req. for Acknowledgement of Cited Art

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